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## STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: Armentano et al.

Application No./Patent No.: 10/648808 Filed/Issue Date: August 27, 2003

METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT AND EFFECTIVE MENTORING  
Entitled: OF INSURANCE CLAIM PROFESSIONALSTravelers Property Casualty Corp., a corporation  
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WHEREAS, Vincent ARMENTANO, Susan CRONIN, Annmarie TEPPER, Robert J. MCHUGH, and Julie MORGAN (referred to as "ASSIGNORS") have invented certain new and useful improvements in an invention entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT AND EFFECTIVE MENTORING OF INSURANCE CLAIM PROFESSIONALS,

- for which a utility application for a United States Patent was filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on August 27, 2003, Serial Number 10/648,808;
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WHEREAS, TRAVELERS PROPERTY CASUALTY CORP., a corporation doing business at One Tower Square, Hartford, Connecticut, 06183 (hereinafter referred to as the "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, and in and to said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby sell and transfer to said ASSIGNEE, and to ASSIGNEE'S successors and assigns, ASSIGNORS' entire right, title and interest in and to said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and to all Letters Patent or similar legal protection in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries to be obtained for said invention by said application or any patent application claiming priority to the application, or any continuation, division, continuation-in-part, reexamination, renewal, substitute, extension or reissue thereof or any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country for the full term of terms for which the same may be granted; and authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States and any official of any foreign country whose duty it is to issue patents or legal equivalents thereto, to issue same for this invention to ASSIGNEE, its lawful successors and assigns.

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